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WINDINGS OF AN ELECTRIC MOTOR	§	00RE073A
DURING MANUFACTURE (AS AMENDED)	§	

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Dear Sir:

**PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT**

Please amend the application as follows: